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DANIELSON AND PUTNAM NEWS

DANIELSON

National Bank Assets Now \$1,118,000

—Eli Dagenia's License Application Hearing Today—New Picture Equipment for Orpheum Theatre—Start on New Goodyear Mill This Morning

Cashier F. B. Storer of the Windham County National Bank reports the assets of the bank as \$1,118,000 and deposits of \$828,000, the largest in the history of the bank.

These figures show the general prosperous business conditions of Danielson as well as the steady growth of this institution, which many days now shows itself in the million dollar class.

G. O. Benson left Monday for Camden, S. C. where he is to remain for the winter.

License Hearing Today.

The county commissioners will give a hearing here today on Eli Dagenia's application for a license, in Union street.

There were seventy-two prisoners at the Windham county jail in Brooklyn Monday.

Chief M. J. Grimshaw's condition continued favorable Monday at the Worcester hospital, where he is a patient.

J. M. Bessette of the West Side has returned from New York, where he saw the illumination of the Statue of Liberty at the time of President Wilson's visit.

Netted \$51.

At the sale conducted by the Baptist ladies recently the sum of \$51 was realized.

Thrift club checks to those who have been saving through the year for the holiday season were being put out Monday by the Danielson Trust company.

Miss Lucille Caron is ill at her home on Mechanic street.

Mrs. Gladys Dunn was among those from this section who were at the tabernacle in Boston Sunday to attend the services conducted by Rev. Billy Sunday.

Lewis A. Morton of Gardner, Mass., visited friends here Monday.

Phineas Aldrich has been in Boston to attend services at the Sunday tabernacle.

Miss Johnson Improving.

Miss Olive Johnson, patient at the Day-Kimball hospital, continues to progress favorably in her recovery.

Miss Anna A. Desautels of Centerville, R. I., was a visitor with friends here Monday.

Census Nearly Completed.

Rev. M. J. Ginet, M. S., announced that the census of St. James' parish has been completed with the exception of making a few visits.

Chicken thieving is reported from outlying sections of the town—one method of reducing the high cost of living.

New Picture Equipment.

Manager Lewis has purchased two new picture projection machines for installation in the Orpheum theatre.

A number from Danielson were at Wauregan to attend the service and concert at which Archbishop Roy of Quebec was present.

May Overcome Freight Embargo.

It was stated here Monday that some manufacturing concerns may be able to overcome the freight embargo.

One of the matters that may come before the Business Men's association is the matter of insurance rates on business blocks in Danielson, business interests seeking for a lower rate or reasons for the present rates.

To Foster Building Boom.

Every effort will be made during the coming spring season to again push forward the building boom which was inaugurated during 1916. Good results have been obtained, but the demand for rents is still a pressing one that must be met if Danielson is to continue the period of growth upon which it has entered.

One of the matters that is now in charge of the Danielson Inn, having taken over the management of the business which he recently purchased from C. H. Michaels.

Rhode Island Hunters Trespassers.

Sunday was another day when Rhode Island hunters came over the border in the eastern section of the town of Killingly.

The hunting season closed in this state November 23, but this has not prevented the Rhode Islanders from getting good sport on the hunting grounds east of here, it is said.

Buy Cars for Metals.

Men who know much of the value of metals that enter into the construction of automobiles are doing a profitable business in this section now by buying up old, worn out cars as junk. Such cars are taken apart, piece by piece, and sorted as to their metal makeup.

Cars that contain much aluminum, as some of the older makes do, are worth big profits to the shrewd buyers who are handling them.

Expense for Building Repairs.

It was reported at the annual meeting of the Windham Agricultural society that this year's unusual expenses included a considerable amount spent for repairs to structures on the fairgrounds at Brooklyn. These repairs were necessary and have put the buildings in much better shape than they have been in for some time.

Start on New Goodyear.

This morning five civil engineers will arrive here from Akron, O. to establish the location and layout of the new mill of the Goodyear-Cotton company at Williamsville. It is understood that orders for the steel for this mill have been placed and that construction will begin in the spring. The new mill will be a great brick structure and the first step towards developing a monster tire duck plant.

Windsor—The Windsor Paper company of the American Writing Paper company is the first concern in town to grant a bonus to its employees. This bonus is not an increase in wages, but is given for the present because of the steady advance in the cost of living and may be terminated at any time, should conditions return to the normal state.

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PUTNAM

Dr. J. A. Gaucher III—Former Judge Geisler Seeks Reappointment—Husband Found Gambling at Greer's—Blast at the Dr. Miller Place Causes Fissile of Stones Against Searis Home.

Dr. J. A. Gaucher was reported on Monday afternoon as dangerously ill at his home on Providence street.

John Cannon, Springfield, has been here in the interest of the campaign for boosting the membership of Putnam lodge of Moose.

Judge L. H. Fuller presided at a session of the city court Monday morning, when two prisoners answered to charges of having been intoxicated.

Raymond C. Bishop of New London visited friends in Putnam over Sunday.

Seeks Reappointment.

Former Judge M. H. Geisler is to be a candidate for appointment as judge of the city court of Putnam at the coming session of the legislature. Judge Geisler filled a year's term as judge of the court, retiring in favor of Judge L. H. Fuller at the beginning of the present year. Judge Fuller's term does not expire until the end of 1917.

HUSBAND WAS GAMBLING

Added \$220 Worth of Chances to Account on Family Store-book.

Following complaint to Mayor J. J. McGarry that the punch board business was again flourishing in some sections of the city, there will be an appearance in the city court this morning. One instance of a husband going to his grocer's and punching out \$2.50 worth of chances, which he had charged on the family account book, was complained of by the wife, when she went to settle her account at the end of the week.

Officers of Quinebaug Lodge.

The following are the newly elected officers of Quinebaug lodge, No. 108, A. F. and A. M. W. M., M. H. Geisler; S. W., L. L. Fuller; J. D. Anson; S. D., A. W. Marcy; J. D. Anson; S. E. George; T. Chaffin; S. S., Charles F. Devine; marshal, George P. Miner; chaplain, E. W. Taylor; A. A. Buchanan; trustees, Gilman H. Brown, Dr. F. A. Morrell, G. Harold Gilpatrick.

Putnam Lodge Election.

The new officers of Putnam lodge of Masons of Woodstock are: W. M., Henry T. Wells; S. W., George W. Butts; J. W., Windsor Clark; S. D., Frank Johnston; J. D., Martin Nelson; treasurer, L. H. Williams; secretary, Robert Harris; chaplain, Frank Haines; chaplain, Joseph Spalding; S. S., Fred E. Sheldon; J. S., George Davis; Tyler, Allen W. Kenyon; trustees, H. W. Bowen, George M. Sampson, George H. Sumner.

Odd Fellows Invited to Worcester.

Members of Israel Putnam lodge of Odd Fellows have received an invitation to be guests Thursday evening of this week of Quinebaug lodge of Worcester, at the conferring of the third degree on a class of 25 candidates, in Mechanics hall. The floor work is to be in charge of Parkman H. Stearns, who had charge of the conferring of a degree in this city when the local lodge observed its silver anniversary. A banquet is to be held at the Bancroft hotel.

This evening Israel Putnam lodge is to nominate officers for the ensuing term and is to confer the first degree on candidates.

Wednesday evening members of the orchestra of the local lodge are to go to Webster to assist in work to be done by the lodge in that place.

Salvation Army Kettle Appears.

The Salvation army's red kettle, the official sign that it is again time to make Christmas contributions, made its appearance at its accustomed place, near the bank building, Monday afternoon, with Captain Lee in charge. Notwithstanding the fact that there is general prosperity throughout the country, there is no reason to believe that there are not poor persons to be thought of this Christmas season. The army workers here will find good use for every dollar that is contributed to their Christmas fund. In quiet corners of the city they know of homes that are dependent upon the Salvation Army workers' efforts and the generosity of the public for a cheerful holiday. The old and feeble are no stronger in this year of prosperity than they were in years just past, and their source of revenue is no greater. They are as needful of assistance as in the past, and everything given through the Salvation Army will help bring them a happy and abundant holiday.

SEARIS RESIDENCE STONED

Dynamite Blast at Dr. Miller Place Sends Rubbish Flying.

A blast of dynamite set off at the Dr. Miller place in Thompson Monday afternoon caused a bombardment of the residence of State Attorney Charles E. Searis. Just across the street, and scattered debris all over the neighborhood. Late in the afternoon Mr. Searis, who was not at home at the time the blast was set off, said that he was investigating the circumstances attending the happening and that he hoped to know all about it so as to place responsibility, in a very short time.

Stones as big as small pumpkins were hurled across the street to the Searis place. Some of these stones fell on the roof, others went over the house and on to the back lawn, where two maids of the Searis household were engaged in hanging out clothes. A shower of rocks and other material pelted down about them, but neither of the women was struck.

Branches were torn from trees on the Searis estate by the storm of stones, some of which imbedded themselves in the lawn, panes of glass were also cracked. Members of the Searis household were frightened, but all escaped injury.

Changes and improvements that are being made at the Dr. Miller place made necessary the use of dynamite for blasting.

County Home Children Entertained. Sixty-eight children from the county home were delighted at the Christmas tree entertainment given for them at the Howe-Marot school for young ladies, in Thompson, as was done last year. One of the features was an entertainment at which a musical playlet was charmingly presented.

Regular meeting of Putnam grange was held Monday evening.

Kindly Act of Georgian.

In speaking of humane acts, let us not forget the case of the Georgian man who has equipped his near-sighted hunting dog with spectacles. The faithful animal can now see the lynchings much better.—Grand Rapids Press.

Stony Creek—Leo Spitzer, for over 20 years proprietor of the Harbor View hotel on Money Island, known for years to vacationers from Archamton to Marblehead, information bureau, postmaster, restaurateur, died Thursday afternoon in New Haven hospital.



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LARGE INCREASE

IN PRISON BILLS.

Those Items in Excess of Those of Last Year.

The increased cost to the state of running penal and charitable institutions is shown by the recent experience of the board of directors of the state prison, who found that for three items, potatoes, flour and coal, bills this year were \$10,000 in excess of those of a year ago. The amount of these three important items purchased was the same as 12 months ago, as the number of inmates during the past 16 months has averaged a little more than 600.

Owing to the extremely high price of turkey this year, that favorite American bird was dropped from the menu for Thanksgiving, and chicken was substituted, with brown gravy and mince pie, fruit and vegetables added, as usual. While the directors, despite the raise in cost of foodstuffs, have not as yet cut any of the regular dishes from the daily fare at the prison, it is admitted that even beef and prunes are no longer the moderate

ate priced articles they once were, and some change may have to be made.

Supplies for the prison are not purchased at any stated intervals, except that coal, when it is needed, is advertised for, wholesalers being asked to give prices. When an opportunity to secure a large quantity of any product at cheap or exceptionally reasonable rates presents itself, advantage is at once taken of the situation and supplies are secured to be put in cold storage at the prison. Flour, which was formerly bought for \$4 or a little more a barrel, this year cost over \$8. Coal has nearly doubled, and potatoes have skyrocketed.

The prisoners are still allowed their tobacco, too, though the directors of the Connecticut reformatory at Cheshire have put the ban on the use of tobacco by the prisoners in that institution. While this action of the Cheshire directors was not prompted by any increase in the cost of tobacco, but purely because the physical welfare of the prisoners was suffering from smoking and chewing. It is doubtful if the state prison inmates will lose their one luxury in the immediate future.

But, obviously, the state is as much interested as the head of any household in the amount of money needed these days by people in order to remain alive and still have carfare on payday.

It is probable that unless prices go down in the next few weeks all institutions supported wholly or in part by the state will be absolutely necessary to ask the incoming general assembly for increased appropriations.

From the Commerce Reports. Ten of the shoe manufacturers of Denmark have amalgamated in order the better to meet foreign competition after the war.

Manchester, England, looks for a world boom in textile machinery after the close of hostilities.

Amsterdam reports the organizing of a cooperative society of Dutch iron works.

Hartford—The first meeting of the Junior Equal Franchise league, an organization of Hartford girls, was held at suffrage headquarters Wednesday. The league was addressed by Mrs. Edward G. Porritt.

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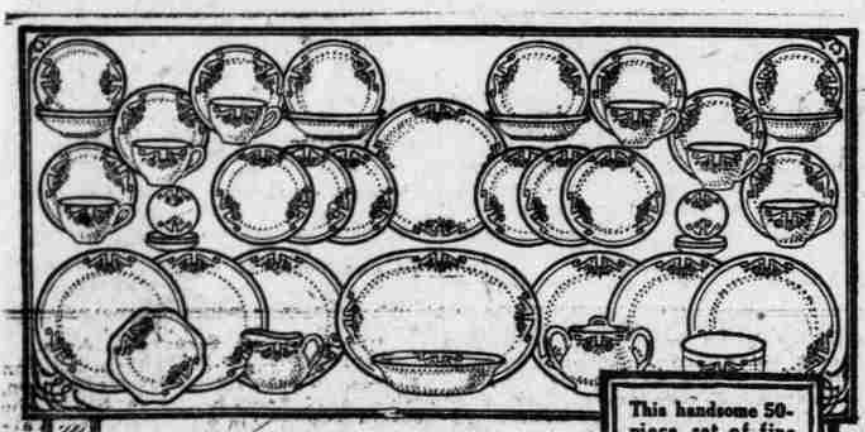
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